# **NEARBY TOWNS TO HOLD** • FLOWER SHOWS THIS FAL

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Flower shows are being arranged in several of the nearby towns, and it i stated the exhibits are expected far to surpass any previous year.

The Takoma Park Horticultural Club is to hold a dahlia exhibit at the library. Takoma Park, October 2 and 3. It is estimated that several hundred varieties of this flower, as well as roses and other flowers, will be on display. The exhibit is to be free and is for the purpose of demonstrating what can be done to beautify the community. The flowers will be judged on individual specimens and col-

lections and suitable ribbons awarded. The sixth annual flower show of the dyattsville Baptist Church is to be held in the Sunday school room October 5 and Exhibits are to be on display from 8 m. to 10 p.m. the opening day and from p.m to 10 p.m. the second day.

#### Committee on Arrangements.

sed of J. B. Norton, chairman: W F. Pferce, treasurer; C. F. Glass, vegetables: W. R. Ballard, Mrs. M. M. Clark C. R. Hutchinson, dahlias Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Davis, other flowers; Mrs. A. Harrison, candy; M. M. Clark, designs and decorations with flowers; F. R. Heald, education and information; Mrs. C. F. Glass, canned products; Mrs. W. F. Pierce, baked nets and R C Eaton, publicity.

#### Falls Church Exhibit.

The annual flower show under the auspices of the Woman's Civic League of Falls Church, Va., is to be held at the Congregational building October 6 and 7, afternoons and evenings.

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Mrs. W. T. Wescott, chairman of the committee in charge, said last night she had every reason to believe the exhibits would be much more numerous and of greater merit than ever before. This year, for the first time, fruits and vegetables also are to be shown.

The league awards only ribbons to the successful exhibitors, but there are a large number of cups and other special prizes donated by merchants and seedsmen of Falls Church, Washington and elsewhere. There are to be special classes, with ribbons and prizes, for flowers, fruit and vegetables grown by

classes, with ribbons and prizes, for flowers, fruit and vegetables grown by children.

During the summer a lawn beautifying contest has been conducted under the auspices of the league, resulting in the making and care of a large number of flower beds and the planting of many ornamental plants and shrubbery.

#### MISSING COUPLE SOUGHT IN NEW HAMPSHIRE WOODS

Joseph A. Dennison and Wife Go on Stroll in Forest and Fail to

Return.

23.-Thorough search of the "big sistent district attorney of Boston, and his wife, who have been missing since Wednesday, when they started on a walk through the forest. So far, however, no trace of the couple has been found.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennison had been here ten days. They were apparently in the best of health when they started pline in its highest and most important. for Joseph A. Dennison, former as- the exercise about to be practiced, and

the best of health when they started on their walk, but as the woods are deep and afford little or no aid to human subsistence, their continued absence has caused alarm for their safety. Daniel H. Coakley of Boston, an attorney, and brother of Mrs. Dennison, is expected here late today to participate in the search.

## Reward of \$1,000 Offered.

BOSTON, September 23.-District Atlate the search at Dixville Notch, N. by asking the authorities at Colebrook, N. H., to render all possible assistance in the effort to locate them. Daniel H. Coakley, Mrs. Dennison's The request was received yesterday from the American consul at Alexanbrother, announced before leaving today to join the search that a reward of \$1,000 would be paid for the discovery of the couple. Gov. McCall also wired to Gov. Spaulding of New Hampaire asking the assistance of the authorities of that state in the hunt. Orders were sent to the employes of the Connecticut Valley Lumber Company and the International Paper Company, near Dixville Notch, to abandon all work and join the search. by asking the authorities at Cole-

# FOR SIGNALS AND WARNINGS.

Association of Railway Commissioners Wants Uniform System.

Plans for a uniform system of signals and warnings for use where public highways cross railroad right of ways may be adopted throughout the United States, if the National Association of Railway Commissioners succeeds in its efforts. A special committee on the prevention of accidents presented a uniform scheme to the organization at a recent meeting, and the body plans to have this scheme adopted throughout the entire country.

adopted throughout the entire country. It is explained that in the past, because of the diversity of signals in various parts of the United States, warnings have been frequently misunderstood, with serious and even fatal results.

Among the recommendations made by the committee are: That on the highway at least 300 feet from the railroad tracks shall be a cautionary sign, in black and white; at the crossing itself the use of flags by watchmen be discontinued and that instead a uniform white metal disc with the word "stop" in black be used, and that all crossing gates be painted in black and white stripes.

## VISITORS TO SEE CENTRAL.

Inspection of High School to Be De-

layed Until After Opening. As soon as expedient after the opening of the new Central High School, arrangements are to be made whereby the public may go through the building and see its many attractions. Alumni of the school are to act as guides. Principal Emory Wilson is desirous that visitors do not come to the school for at least two weeks from the opening time, so that all interior from the opening time, so that all interior work and arrangements may be completed without hindrance to the workers, and that as little confusion as possible will attend the work of "getting settled" in the new quarters by teachers and students. Announcement will be made when visitors can be cared for properly. The date for the dedication of the new building has not yet been determined. It is probable that the entire week in which this date fails will be given over to a housewarming, in which the faculty, students, alumni and school officials will participate.

Sailors in the British havy now util-ize their spare time in making muni-tions, for which they receive no remu-

# LIEUT. COMMANDER MORHART **RETIRES FROM NAVAL BATTALION**

Served for More Than Ten Years as Surgeon With Rank of Lieutenant.

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service, during which he cruised on many of the battleships of the Atlantic naval militiamen on their annual practice cruises, Lieut, Commander Freder Rattalion of the National Guard of the District of Columbia, has retired. For geon with the rank of lieutenant, and was retired with the advanced rank, by more than ten years in one grade. He received the advanced rank of lieutenant commander before he retired. Dr. Morhart is a native of Ohio, where Dr. Morhart is a native of Ohio, where he was born, at Middleport, February 3, 1875. He was educated in the public schools there, studied pharmacy, was graduated and became a registered pharmacist in that state. Later he came to Washington, and studied medicine at George Washington, then Columbian University. He graduated in medicine and surgery in 1898, and in a competitive examination for appointment as resident physician of Emergency Hospital was the successful candidate. When his term of service, there was nearly up the Philippine insurrection was at its height, and he went into the Medical Corps of the United States Army and was sent to the Philippines, where he remained for two years, participating in many of the engagements there.

Begins Private Practice. Upon his return from the Philippines

he left the army and began the pri-

When he retired Dr. Morhart was the oldest officer, in point of service, in

the Carabao.

Dr. Morhart applied for retirement from the local naval militia on account of failing health, which prevented him from keeping up his active duty at the militia armory and on cruises.

### **RULES FOR THE TRAINING** OF NATIONAL GUARDSMEN

Gen. Scott Places Special Stress or Field Work, Discipline, Hygiene, Sanitation, Etc.

In general orders issued by Maj. Gen. Scott, chief of staff of the army, in reference to the instruction and training of the National Guard mustered into the service of the United States, for thorough field training, discipline, physical training and instruction in that practical work in the field should be varied with short talks by the company commander or other instructor, while the men are allowed to rest or the ground. The men must be made to woods" near here is being made today understand the object and meaning of

The is stated that the meaning of discipiline in its highest and most important
sense should be explained and taught
early in the soldier's career, as first impressions are generally lasting ones.
That can best be done, it is explained,
in the form of talks and lectures by
the higher officers of the regiment, and
especially by the colonel, who, in the
eyes of the soldier, is the embodiment
of military knowledge and virtue.

Asks U. S. to Transport Relief Stores torney Pelletier endeavored to stimu- Egypt, have asked that the American cruiser Des Moines, bound for Jaffa H. for Joseph A. Dennison and his wife, with medical supplies for sufferers in reported missing in the woods there. Jerusalem, be authorized to carry a consignment of relief stores to British

# ARMY-NAVY.

Army Orders.

Maj. Fox Conner, field artillery, is detailed for service in the Inspector General's Department, and will report to the inspector general for duty in his

Col. Charles W. Taylor, 8th Cavalry will proceed to Fort Sam Houston, Tex., Maj. Charles F. Morse, Medical Corps,

will report at Columbus barracks for

fantry, is transferred to the Corps of Engineers, and assigned to the 2d

Regiment.
Maj. Alfred T. Smith, infantry, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.
First Sergt. Paul Aust, Troop M, 5th Cavalry, and First Sergt. Cornelius J. Leach, Troop H, 17th Cavalry, are placed upon the retired list.

President Poincaire of France has made a collection of photographs of English soldiers who have won the Vic-toria Cross.

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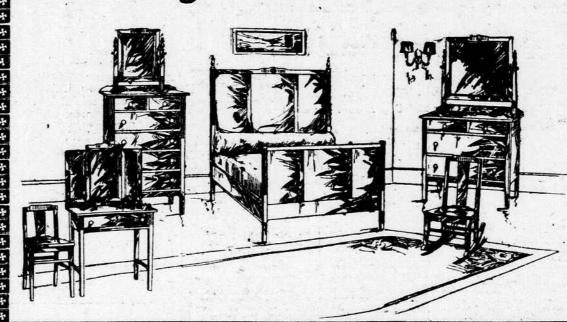
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